

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

Please replace the paragraph at page 3, lines 21-30 of the specification with the amended paragraph:

The biosynthetic production of wortmannin is well known in the art and the derivatives are synthesized from wortmannin, as described in the following publications: Dewald, Beatrice, *et al.* (1988) "Two Transduction Sequences Are Necessary for Neutrophil Activation by Receptor Agonists", The Journal of Biological Chemistry, Vol. 263, Issue of November 5, pp 16179-16184; Norman, Bryan H., *et al.* (1996) "Studies on the Mechanism of Phosphatidylinositol 3-Kinase Inhibition by Wortmannin and Related Analogs", J. Med. Chem., 39, pp 1106-1111; and Varticovski, L., *et al.* (2001) "Water-soluble HPMA copolymer-wortmannin conjugate retains phosphoinositide 3-kinase inhibitory activity *in vitro* and *in vivo*", Journal of Controlled Release, 74, pp 275-281.